

THE BIG INSTITUTE AND FAIR
BREAKS ALL THE RECORDS

A Large Crowd Was In Attendance All Day Long.

LOWELL STORE JAMMED WITH PEOPLE.

Institute and Cooking School Also Draw Large Audiences at the Court House and Concordia Hall—Mrs. Adams' Lecture at the Court Street Church Last Evening—The Prizes Awarded—Institute Ended This Afternoon—Fair Closes Tomorrow.

LL day long the Midwinter Fair was crowded. The crowd came early and came to stay. This was the big day and there was fun inside and out.

Inside the judges were at work in every department.

There were flurries of excitement about the polling places, where the proudest farmer, the hungriest man and the most popular farmer were being chosen.

There was laughter and confusion as the tallest girl, the girl with the longest hair and the most beautiful girl were sought.

There was music during the afternoon by the Imperial band. The first day music was furnished by Professor John Smith with nine pieces.

George McKey won the capon offered by Miles Rice for the hungriest man in Janesville. The vote stood:

George M. McKey..... 670

John Hogan..... 412

John F. Jeeweeney..... 348

E. M. Hyzer..... 296

D. D. Mayne..... 212

W. S. Jeffris..... 184

The most popular farmer was declared to be George Barker, and he took Bill Baxter's copy of Shakespeare. The vote for the leading candidates stood:

George Barker..... 230

F. H. Bemis..... 218

Walter Little..... 212

S. C. Carr..... 194

S. H. Joiner..... 184

It was all one way in the competition for the proudest farmer. J. E. Gleason won the peacock offered by Frank Pierson, receiving 536 votes out of 549.

Outside the store there were special competitions, such as the race for a bag of bran. That bag looked bigger than a Clydesdale yearling, and the men who could shoulder it and run 200 feet were not numerous.

The draft horses and roadsters were shown at 1 o'clock. Tomorrow at 1 o'clock the carriage teams and single carriage horses will be shown.

A moderate estimate was that 5,000 people attended the fair today. If there were not 4,000 people watching the show of horses, River street told the wrong story. The street was jammed from Milwaukee street to the Janesville Machine company plant. On Milwaukee street the crowd was just as dense. There were nearly a hundred farm teams in line, and the judges—John Gilkey, O. F. Nowlan and John Chadwick—had plenty of work. They decided as follows:

Best General Purposes Farm Team—P. T. Burtness 1st, one new harrow; seat cultivator, \$10. F. A. Taylor; James A. Card 2d, \$10 worth lumber, Fifeel Bros. & Co.; A. H. Burnes 3d, whalebone whip, W. H. Hall; J. H. Stokes 4th, one halter, heavy ring, M. A. Ott.

Best Single Roadster or Gentleman's Driver—J. M. Hugunin 1st, \$5 cash, Dr. E. D. Roberts; J. M. Wright 2nd, whalebone whip, E. H. Murdoch; Robt. Lowry 3rd, one hundred Gopher cigars, F. N. Baines; C. I. Sloan 4th, Manning's illustrated horse book, J. Sutherland & Sons.

Eastern Men Here.

Representatives of five of the eastern firms that had offred handsome premiums were present and could not contain their satisfaction at the way things were going. The big entry lists surprised them. There were bigger lists in several classes than the state fair ever brought out and well there might be with the four richest counties in the state to draw from.

Other states joined Wisconsin in the chorus of commendation. The farm institute corps were enthusiastic. The Illinois delegation that came up Tuesday to get an object lesson came back again on this morning's train with twenty five more in the party. They said the Rock county idea would be tried in Rockford as soon as arrangements could be made.

The movement to have the 1898 round-up held in Janesville was pushed vigorously all day. A line of men waited their turn all morning to sign the petition on Secretary Clemons' desk.

It needed only a glance along the shelves and show cases to see how much interest the fair had aroused.

There were 53 tubs of dairy butter, filling 29 rolls of dairy butter, filling each deep shelf.

Cottage cheese was shown in all styles and sizes. There were 32 samples of milk cheese and 23 samples of cream cheese.

Five four fancy quilts were on file.

Twelve displays of apples surprised many people who didn't suppose Rock county could do as well in a fruit way.

Just to prove that bread-making is not a lost art there were 79 loaves of white bread shown.

Biscuits! Well, 146 women had samples of raised biscuits; 123 brought baking powder biscuit and 46 pinned their hopes to soda biscuits.

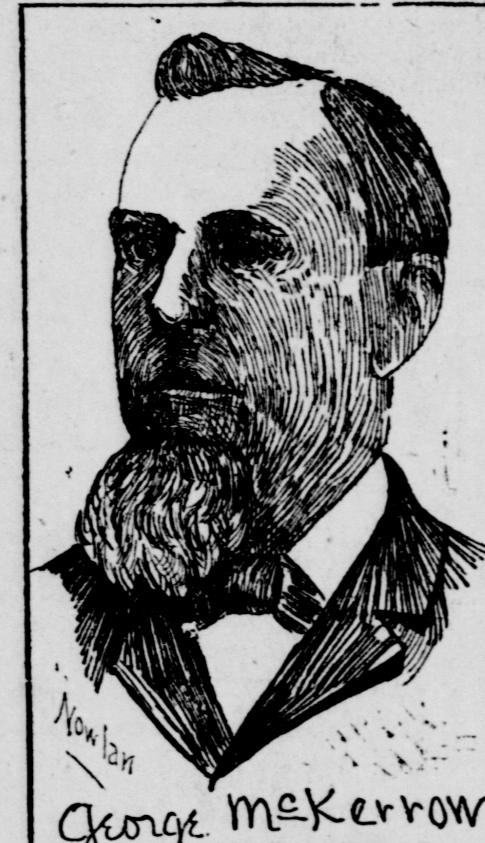
The doughnut case held 103 entries. Small boys looked enviously at 127 plates of sugar cookies and 73 kinds of ginger snaps.

Cake—there was cake enough for all the county. There were 63 fruit cakes, 56 sponge cakes, 51 fruit cakes and 49 varieties devil's of food. Altogether there were 312 cakes.

The pie counter was a dyspeptic's dream. There were 26 pumpkin pies, 43 custard pies, 42 apple pies and 62 mince pie—and all deep in the chest.

A Basement Full of Corn.

Over one hundred bushels of corn were entered in competition for the Janesville Machine company's riding



Conductor of Institutes.

plow, and 39 farmers each thought they had the four largest ears.

On the grain tables down cellar were 79 bushels of oats, 48 bushels of pop corn, 11 bags of winter wheat, 3 bags of spring wheat, 6 of buckwheat, 12 of rye, 33 of barley, 26 of timothy and 16 of clover.

He must have been critical who could object to the 63 baskets of potatoes, for they included some of the handsomest tubers ever taken out of the ground.

The miscellaneous educational exhibits footed up 25 in number.

There were 480 eggs entered for the big egg prize.

Mrs. Carr's Butter Ranked High.

Mrs. J. G. Carr has a right to feel proud of her butter. Judged by the state dairy school experts it scored 97. Mrs. B. Richards and Mrs. G. W. Ashby tied for second prize, with 94 points apiece. Allowing 40 points for flavor 30 for grain, 10 for color, 10 for salt and 10 for package, the exhibitors of dairy butter who ranked better than 90 were:

Mrs. J. G. Carr..... 97½

Mrs. G. W. Ashby..... 94

Mrs. B. Richards..... 94

G. H. Bufts..... 91

Mrs. F. Ashby..... 92

Mrs. Robert Clark..... 92½

Mrs. O. L. West..... 91

Mrs. J. M. Decker..... 90

L. W. Sherman..... 95

L. J. Noey..... 90½

Mrs. G. F. Wallihan..... 92

Mrs. Morton O. Fassett..... 92

C. A. Hinckley..... 92

Ena Robinson..... 90

Mrs. S. G. Go frey..... 90

Mrs. T. Clark..... 91½

G. C. Austin..... 99

O. M. Hubbard won the first prize for creamy butter by a score of 93, the Center creamery ranking next, with 87.

FARM INSTITUTE FULL OF VALUE

Dairy Management and Sheep and Horse Raising Discussed.

When Superintendent George McKerrow conducts a farm institute, there are no dull moments. Every point in every paper suggests some other good point to him, and the institute is kept lively by his comment.

Today he had two topics of his own, "Profits in Sheep," and "Economical Feeding," while E. B. Isom spoke on "Our Common Birds and Their Benefit to the Farmer," and E. J. Scifield discussed "Small Fruits."

Much that was of value in the first day's session was necessarily omitted from the Gazette report. Cleanliness in the stable and all surroundings was the burden of J. W. Decker's talk on dairying. C. F. Goodrich, "the cow man from Jefferson county," told what went to make the profitable cow. He told of the herd he had in 1875—cows that all the neighbors said "were fine critters." They averaged 150 pounds of butter a year, and were handsome, solid-looking animals. In 1876, when he began to try for systematic improvement of the stock, all his neighbors and all the stock buyers told him he was ruining his herd. In spite of all these warnings he went on cutting down beef production and increasing butter production until last year his herd averaged 366 pounds of butter per cow. He kept no one breed exclusively, but most of his herd were Jersey cattle.

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Mr. Goodrich recommended the use of gluten feed, as cheaper and quite as satisfactory as gluten meal, and very much relished in summer.

MONEY IN RAISING DRAFT HORSES.

Professor Craig's talk on the evolution of the horse proved of lively interest. The distinct difference between the roadster, the coach horse and the draft horse as machines were sketched, and the prophecy was ventured that raising heavy draft horses would be a more profitable branch of farming during the next five years.

"There are none to be had," said Professor Craig, "and there are no colts in sight. When the men who team for Armour and Fairbanks and those other city men want heavy horses they will want them badly and pay the price. Draft horses are not the only ones that will be in demand. There is never a time when first class coachers, weighing 1,500 pounds, will not sell to advantage."

Prof. Craig admitted that a great drawback in the raising of coach horses was the uncertainty. Nobody had yet been able to insure any large average of coach horses out of a specified number of colts.

Prof. Craig said a draft horse could be raised for three or four cents a pound—a trifle over \$45 per horse. This would be the cost at three years of age. Clinton Babbitt thought \$50 a year would be nearer than \$15 a year to the cost of raising a horse, and Robert Barliss endorsed the opinion. Prof. Craig thought \$50 was much too high.

HEARD MRS. C. K. ADAMS' LECTURE.

The Wife of the University President Spoke Last Evening.

Mrs. Charles Kendall Adams lectured at the farmers institute at the Court Street M. E. church last evening and made a plea for better cooking and better cooks.

Expert mechanics were insisted upon when any mechanical work was to be done, she said, yet people placed inexperienced girls in charge of the kitchen.

To this fact, she insisted, much sickness, misery and wasteful extravagance was due.

The evening session of the institute opened at 7:45 o'clock. The program opened with music by the orchestra of the State School for the Blind and Chairman Fethers introduced Mrs. Adams. In his introductory remarks he spoke of the university of Wisconsin and its work and paid a compliment to the school and its managers.

Mrs. Adams spoke briefly but pointedly, and the large audience listened closely. She said that her subject was one of the most important in life, as upon the food depended the health, the prosperity and even the morals of the people. Her address was divided under three heads—condition, cause and remedy. Good cooking, she argued, resulted in the preparation of a palatable meal from the least possible amount of material.

Americans Far Behind.

Americans were far behind the world in this respect. Enough was wasted in the kitchens of the United States to feed another people. Jails, prisons and reformatories cost \$400,000,000 a year. Drunkenness was the natural result of poor food.

If children who are cross and irritable are given the best of food for a year or so, there would be a change for the better, and temper would not be exhibited so often. Lack of education on the part of the cooks was responsible for the present condition of affairs, and they were ignorant because they had no place to learn.

Cooking should be taught in the public schools, and the benefits received from that education would be beyond calculation.

Professor W. A. Henry, Dean of the Agricultural College, was introduced by Mr. Fethers, who paid him a graceful compliment. Professor Henry spoke of the beet sugar industry, and the superior advantages of the state for the cultivation of the crop.

The program was as follows:

Music..... "The Return of the Flowers"

Orchestra of the State School.

Remarks..... Chairman Ogden H. Fethers

Music..... Ladies Quartette

Mesdames St. John, Sweeney, Clark, and Miss Franc Edwards.

Address..... Mrs. Charles Kendall Adams

Organ Solo..... Mrs. John Sweeney

Address..... Prof. W. A. Henry

Music..... Orchestra

THE PRIZES AWARDED SO FAR.

Names of Those Whose Entries Got a Blue Ribbon.

The prize winners as far as has been decided, are as follows:

Department No. 2 Vegetables.

Best Peck Potatoes Any Variety

Henry Tarrant 1st, one Dowden potato sorter and one Dowden potato cutter, Dowden Manufacturing Co., Prairie City, Iowa.

Mr. Tarrant has the privilege of purchasing one Dowden potato harvester, value \$100 for \$50.

James Stockman 2d \$10 in lumber.

Boat, Bailey & Co.; Mrs. W. T. Sherman 2d, 1 sack Pure Gold flour, Nolan Bros.; Mrs. S. V. Coates 3d, 1 year

Western Agriculturist and Live Stock Journal.

John Spivak.

Loaf Graham Bread

Mrs. B. Benedict 1st, "Glove Fitting" satin corset, Boat, Bailey & Co.; Mrs. W. T. Sherman 2d, 1 sack Pure Gold flour, Nolan Bros.; Mrs. W. T. Sherman 2d, 2, 10 pounds mixed candy, Beaumont D'Forest; Miss Fetherstone 3d, doll, A. Rider.

Loaf Corn Bread

Mrs. W. T. Sherman 1st, \$4 picture, John H. Myers;

Mrs. Harriet Mitchell 2d, \$2 laundry ticket, Janesville Steam Laundry;

Mrs. Alex. Babcock 3d, 1 year Western Agriculturist and Live Stock Journal.

John Spivak.

Best Loaf Wheat Bread

Mrs. W. T. Sherman 1st, solid fruit cake,

Colvin Baking Co.; Olara L. Beckwith 2d, \$2 laundry

JURY ON A SPECIAL TO TAKE TESTIMONY

HOWE MURDER CASE PROGRAM BROKEN INTO.

Doubtful Now of the Case Goes to the Jury Tomorrow—Experts Summoned by Telegraph—Campbell's Chicago Friends Defend Him Against Darlington Charge.

Elkhorn, March 3.—In all probability the Howe Murder case will not go to the jury until tomorrow.

Mrs. Heyer of Darien, one of the state's witnesses, was unable to attend the court yesterday morning, and accordingly the court and jury went to Darien by special train to hear her evidence. The town is about ten miles southwest of here. The testimony of the witness was corroborative of that previously given, but was given on an important point. The party came back on the 1:07 train, and the court convened again at 2 o'clock.

The state finished its rebuttal testimony early in the afternoon, and the defense introduced theirs, also finishing in the afternoon. The surprise of the afternoon was the recalling of Henry L. Tolman to the stand. He had been telegraphed for by Judge Fish, and answered several questions in regard to the anonymous note. He was extensively cross-examined by the defense. The attorney for the defense immediately telephoned to Chicago for Warner E. Drake, their handwriting expert. The case will go to the lawyers to be argued some time today and will be given to the jury in all probability on Thursday morning.

When the defense placed the prisoner on the stand he stated that he was 19 years of age and gave about the same version of the case as he did at the preliminary hearing. The note which had been found on the remains of Charles Howe, the murdered young man, was presented to Leroy and he was asked if he had written the words thereon. He said: "I did not."

When asked if he had shot his brother Charles. He replied: "I did not."

When asked if he knew who did shoot him, he said: "I do not." He was further questioned about the pistol which was found near the body, but nothing new was brought out. He told about meeting a strange man near Darien and gave a very detailed description of the fellow.

THEIR SAY CAMPBELL IS INNOCENT

Chicago Relatives Deny That He Killed Edward Hale.

Chicago relatives of John Campbell assert that he is innocent of the charge made. Frank McGuigan, a nephew of Campbell, said yesterday that the sensational arrest of his uncle was entirely unwarranted. The crime with which Campbell is charged is the murder of Edward Hale, of Gratiot, Wis.

Hale was killed at a dance last December. Campbell was acting as floor manager during the temporary absence of Daniel Collins, the owner of the hall. A fight took place and in trying to stop it Campbell was floored with a stone thrown by Hale. Collins saw the act and struck Hale with his cane. Campbell, on rising, also struck at Hale. Later Hale became unconscious and died the next night. Collins and Campbell were arrested, but the case against them was dismissed when it came up before Justice Cleary of Darlington.

Later a postmortem examination was asked for. The body was exhumed and the skull found fractured. Still no action was taken and Campbell stayed there two weeks and then came to Chicago for a visit. His destination was known, and friends say there was no necessity for such a mode of procedure as was adopted by Sheriff Bennett. He offered no objection to his arrest, waived all claim to requisition papers and was admitted to bail upon his arrival in Darlington.

This Week at Sanborn's. You will find it pays to keep track of what Sanborn says regarding groceries and prices:

Fancy new salt pork 5 per lb., \$8 per bbl., new packing clear and nice, cheaper than you can kill and salt your own meat.

Armour's fancy picnic hams 6 cents per lb.

Fancy evaporated ring apples 5 cents per pound, usual price 8 cents per pound.

Fancy honey drip syrup 20 cents, 3 gallons 50 cents.

5 gallon oil can with faucet filled with best oil 95 cents.

12 pounds oatmeal 25 cents.

Washburn & Crosby Minneapolis Gold Medal flour \$1.10, per sack ten sack lots \$1.05.

Hard To Beat Janesville, Minnesota, flour \$1.00 sack, 10 sack lots 95 cents.

Best A. B. C. crackers, none better made, 5 cents pound, by the box 4 cents.

7 bars Old Country soap 25 cents.

7 bars Lenox soap 25 cents.

7 bars Fairbank's Brown soap 25 cents.

7 bars Bluff City soap 25 cents.

7 bars Cyclone soap 25 cents.

7 bars Babiti's soap 25 cents.

7 packages all washing powders 25 cents.

Gold dust 4 pound packages 20 cents.

Never forget that Sanborn does not juggle with quality in order to sell at low prices; everything dependable in what he says or does. Sanborn & Co.

THE ART LEAGUE EXHIBITION.

The Annual Show Will Occur on Friday March 12.

Members of the Janesville Art League are busy preparing for the second annual exhibition of their work which will be held on the afternoon and evening of Friday March 12. Mrs. J. F. Pember vice president of the league, has very generously volunteered the use of her home for the occasion. The event will be awaited with interest by the many friends of the league, who will recall their first exhibition of little more than a year ago.

Odd Fellows at Milton.

Thirty-six members of the Odd Fellows and Daughters of Rebekah went to Milton last evening and were guests of the Milton Lodge. The party included:

Mr. and Mrs.— Fred Smith, T. H. Bidwell, G. A. Warren, J. P. Wright, C. W. Schwartz.
Mesdames— Tucker, Hiller, M'rill, Warner, Tramble, Knip.

Misses— Beatrice Preller, Eliza Shank, Olive Tramble, Mr. G. O. Ellsworth.

Miss Greenman Entertains.

Miss Mary Greenman entertained a party of friends last evening in a delightful manner at the home of her parents, 356 Court street. Luncheon was served during the evening and cards and dancing made the hours pass all too quickly. The guests were:

Misses— Retta Whitton, Helen Fifield, Eloie Nowlan, Katherine Fifield, Mabel Greenman, Misses— Leo Brownell, Harry Newlan, Ralph Inman, Bruce Harper.

Concordia Annual Masquerade.

The annual masquerade of the Concordia Society was held at Concordia Hall last night, and, as usual, was the event of the season. Smith's orchestra of six pieces played, and the grand march occurred at 11 o'clock. C. W. Wilson, Will Kienow and Will Baum were the door managers. The event closed the social season, and upheld the reputation of the Concordia Society in all respects.

Falter-Pierce.

John H. Falter and Miss Celia Pierce were married at Beloit yesterday. Mr. Falter is an engineer on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, while the bride has been a resident of Monticello. They will make this city their home, and many friends will extend well wishes.

JANESEVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce As Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

WHEAT—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack.

BUCKWHEAT—30c per 35c per 1/2 lbs.

BARLEY—37c per 40c per 5c.

RICE—White—Range, 18c to 24c according to quality.

JASMINE—Old, 18c to 20c; new, per 75 lbs., 14c to 15c

OATS—White—13c to 15c.

LOUVER—RED—\$4.00 @ \$3.75 per bushel.

THISTLE SEED—\$4.00 @ \$1.00 per bushel.

MAY—Per ton, \$7.00 @ \$7.50.

STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$5.00 per ton.

MALT—50c per 100 lbs. doled \$1.00.

FEED—\$0.10 per 100 lbs., \$0.10 per ton.

BRAN—\$5c per 100 lbs.; \$8.00 per ton.

MIDDLEMEAT—\$0.50 per 100, \$3.00 per ton.

POTATOES—20c per 25c per bushel.

ONIONS—16c to 18c.

EGGS—17c to 18c per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 9c to 11c; chickens, 6c to 7c.

Wool—1c to 12c for wash; 8c to 10c for us washed.

HIDES—Green, 5c to 6c; dry, 8c to 9c.

PELTS—Range at 15c to 45c each.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, March 2.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Chicago board of trade today:

GOSSIP FROM EMERALD GROVE

Mrs. Thomas Cuckow Died at Dell Rapids, S. D.—Other Notes.

EMERALD GROVE, March 2—We received last Saturday from Dell Rapids, S. D., the sad news of the death of Mrs. Thomas J. Cuckow, which took place February 26. Pneumonia was the cause. Mr. and Mrs. Cuckow were formerly residents of the town of Bradford, and well known. Miss Violia Phillips of Hampshire, Ill., is making a visit here among friends and neighbors. Mr. Sprout of Janesville, has purchased Mrs. Johnson's house in this village, and is now residing here.

GILLIES & JONES sell clothing by sample.

Ask to see their line before purchasing elsewhere. They can save you 20 per cent. Rev. Richard Miller occupied the pulpit in the Congregational church here last Sunday morning.

Admission ten cents.

NOTICE—If you have Western or Southern lands, improved farms, city, village or personal property of any description, list it with me and I can dispose of it for you. D. Conger.

WISCONSIN LODGE NO. 14, I. O. O. F.

will meet this evening.

FRIENDS OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES ENNIS surprised them last evening, in honor of their linen wedding anniversary.

MARDI GRAS EXCURSION TO NEW ORLEANS AND MOBILE

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round trip excursion tickets to New Orleans, La., or to Mobile, Ala., from February 23 to 23 inclusive, good for return until and including March 27 over and direct route.

A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

LEN'T began today.

MRS. E. J. SCHMIDLEY is better.

THE TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION meets tonight.

CHARLES RHONES will locate in Milwaukee.

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If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Please use our old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soother, a Syrup for Children's Teething. It soothes the children, relieves all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cent a bottle.

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FARMERS IN ARMS TO CATCH THIEVES

HORSE STEALERS AGAIN AT WORK.

Mr. Peacock, of Johnstown, catches men in the very act of taking his boasts but they escape while he is loading his gun County News.

MILTON, Wis., March 3.—The towns of Lima and Johnstown seem to be marks for horse thieves, and since the team was stolen in the first named town several attempts have been made by the gang to secure horses.

The last instance occurred at the farm of Mr. Peacock. His wife heard a noise and awoke her husband, but while he was securing ammunition for his gun the thieves escaped, and when he reached the barn he found the harness on one horse.

The farmers are waking up and making haste to join the anti-horse thief societies in this and adjoining towns as a means of protection.

THE NEWS OF MILTON JUNCTION

Sudden Death of Mr. Thwing From Heart Disease—Notes.

MILTON JUNCTION, March 2—Mr. Thwing of Koskonong, who formerly lived near here, died very suddenly Sunday morning. He had been troubled with heart disease for some time. The funeral was held Tuesday at the home, and the interment was in the cemetery here. Mr. and Mrs. I. Kelly returned from Mazomanie, Saturday. Marshall Coon, wife and son of Walworth, spent last week with relatives here. Will Gasper and Eliza Muller of this place, were married at Fort Atkinson last week. They will reside in the Johnson house on Madison street. Dr. E. S. Hull is almost constantly on the go attending to the sick in town and country. Deforest Butner is quite sick with bronchial pneumonia. Dr. Oviatt attends him. Mrs. Esther Cole has been ill as to how to give up her school or a week, but is better at present. Mrs. Boyington and daughter are visiting at Dan Burdick's. The High school juniors held a banquet at the school building Saturday evening. The rooms were finely decorated with the class colors, white and yellow, the supper was all that could be wished. Toasts and recitations made up the literary part. George W. Coon is at home, very sick with quinsy. James Bulis is quite sick at his home north of town. His brother Albert is taking care of him. There were a number of people from Albion in attendance at the S. D. B. quarterly meeting Saturday and Sunday, among them being Rev. E. A. Wilbur, daughter and nephew; B. I. Jeffrey and daughter Ethel; Randolph Thomas, wife and daughter; George W. Walters and wife and George Walters Jr. Mrs. Will VanLone visited at Hebron last week. Dr. Maxson of Battle Creek, Mich., is visiting in this vicinity. The funeral of Mrs. Nancy Oviatt was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Kelley, Friday, the burial being held at Albion. Dr. Albert Oviatt, wife and son of Illinois, were her to attend the funeral of his mother, Friday. Mrs. Lex Jones is again on the sick list. Mrs. Charlie Thorpe will furnish music for one of the I. O. G. T. lectures. Mrs. Grace Catella is spending a couple of weeks in Chicago to recuperate her health after her recent illness. Rev. Chambers of Milton, will give a lecture for the I. O. G. T. Saturday night, March 6 Subject, "The K. R. to Hail." The Mandolin club will furnish music. Admission ten cents.

TOUR OF OLD MEXICO.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Rean Campbell, General manager. January 16 and February 27.

Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage car through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotel, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

HOME SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indiana Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama, in Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

NOTICE OF DRAWING JURY.

Notice is hereby given that the petit

jurors to serve at the April term of the Circuit court for Rock county, A. D. 1897, will be drawn at the office of the clerk of the Circuit court for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville in said county at two o'clock p. m. on Monday the 15th day of March A. D. 1897.

SENATOR JOHN SHERMAN, SECRETARY OF STATE.

Senator John Sherman, McKinley's secretary of state, has been prominent in public affairs since 1844, when he made himself heard in advocacy of the presidency. He was born in Lancaster, O., in 1823. He lived humbly in those early days. What education he got was such as could be had in the country schools of that time. It was not of an extensive sort. When he was 14 years old, he secured employment in a surveying party as rodman. Afterward he got a clerkship in one of the county offices. At the age of 17 he went to Mansfield, O., and began to read law in the office of his brother. It took him four years to perfect himself in Blackstone and Kent and other worthies of the reading schedule of that date and pass the examination that secured him admission to the bar. This eventful period was reached on Sherman's twenty-first birthday, and the celebration of that occasion made the anniversary more than usually pleasant and memorable.

His career as a lawyer and statesman is familiar to the most schoolboy of the land. Beginning with his election to the national house of representatives in 1854, his record has been one of successive honors and promotions. After having served as representative he was made senator, and such was the esteem in which he was held by his constituents that his re-elections to the office were as regular as the expirations of his terms. Indeed, since 1854 there has been only one day wherein John Sherman was out of office. That was March 3, 1881, the day after he had tendered his resignation as secretary of the treasury under the Hayes administration and the day before he took the oath of office as a re-elected senator.

Not only has Mr. Sherman been thus continuously honored in connection with the legislative branch of the government, but he has been pushed by his friends very hard for the presidency time and time again. There is no doubt that Sherman has nourished a warm and strong ambition for this high place, and at one time it seemed almost a certainty that he would be the candidate of his party for the coveted post. This was in 1880, when James A. Garfield, Sherman's advocate in the convention, builded so much better than he knew that he himself secured what he sought for his chief.

Four years later, too, there was a strong Sherman sentiment working in the national convention, and again it seemed possible that the Ohio solon would be put in the first place on the ticket, but Harrison was selected. It is generally believed that this was the bitterest disappointment Sherman ever experienced.

Senator Sherman is now nearly 74 years of age. He is white haired, and his tall, slender form bends somewhat under the weight of these many years, but there is grim tenacity in his make up, and his vitality is many times stronger than it appears to be. Mentally he is as keen as a scimitar, though his words are far less acrid now than they were in his younger days. His acceptance of a cabinet position is generally regarded as his political capitulation—a compromise with his higher aspirations.

LYMAN J. GAGE, SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

Lyman J. Gage, the man who is to succeed John G. Carlisle as secretary of the treasury, is a well known and picturesque character in the middle west. He is a man of energy as well as ideas, and, though he has lived 60 years, he can hardly be called old.

Mr. Gage was born at Derby, N. Y., June 28, 1836. His parents were also New Yorkers, and their ancestors were among the first settlers of New England. The father of Lyman Gage was a farmer and afterward a merchant in a small way.

In 1846 the elder Gage moved with his family to Rome, N. Y., and there Lyman attended school until he was 15 years old. At that time the Gage family was so large that Lyman thought it would be best for him to begin to make his own way, so he secured a clerkship in a country postoffice. Within a year he was promoted to the position of mail agent on the Rome and Watertown railroad. In 1856 he withdrew from the railroad and took a position in the Oneida Central bank at Rome. Here he acted as junior clerk, office boy and general factotum at a salary of \$100 a year.

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sistant cashier. He remained with the Merchants' Savings, Loan and Trust company until the position of assistant cashier of the First National bank was offered him. He has been with the latter institution ever since. In time he became vice president and afterward president of this great banking institution.

It was the public record of Mr. Gage in his successful efforts to allay the discontent and rioting of 1887 that gave him his greatest prestige. He was a wonderful harmonizer. In those days of panics and disaster he called meetings of laborers and capitalists, some of which were held in his own parlors, and got them to confer together and settle upon modes of procedure that would ease the friction between the classes.

It was to Mr. Gage also that the success of the World's fair was largely attributable. He was its first president and its strongest backer. He it was who began the fight for its location, and it would certainly have gone somewhere else but for his untiring efforts.

Mr. Gage has been twice married—first in 1864, to Miss Sarah Etheridge of Little Falls, N. Y. She died in 1874, leaving a son, Eli Gage, now a young man of 30. The present wife of Mr. Gage was Miss Cornelia Washburn of Albany.

This person Mr. Gage is large and fine looking. He stands nearly 6 feet in height and weighs 200 pounds. His manner is suave, magnetic and altogether agreeable. He and his wife are great favorites in a quiet, social way and entertain their friends handsomely. The principal recreations of the great financier are whist and the theater. He is a member of a number of the best clubs of the city and of various associations devoted to business and finance.

GENERAL RUSSELL A. ALGER, SECRETARY OF WAR.

Mr. McKinley's secretary of war, ex-Governor Russell A. Alger of Michigan, has been a public character for many years. Although a native of the great northwest, he is of New England ancestry. His parents settled in Lafayette township, Medina county, O., in 1835, where, on Feb. 27 in the following year, the future governor was born. Hardships came to him early. At the age of 13 he was left alone in the world without a dollar and burdened with the care of a younger sister and brother. Young Alger was strong and courageous, however, and showed his mettle at once. He found places for his brother and sister and went to work for his board and clothes and three months' schooling per year. Afterward he exchanged his services as a farmhand for a small monthly wage. But he stuck hard to his studies, and by the time he was 20 years of age he was able to take charge of a district school. While engaged as a teacher he applied himself diligently to the study of law, and in 1857 entered a law office at Akron. A year later, having been admitted to the bar, he went to Cleveland to practice his profession.

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HON. JOHN D. LONG, SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

Ex-Governor John D. Long of Massachusetts, who takes control of Uncle Sam's war fleets and attend to the other duties devolving upon the secretary of the navy, is one of the most prominent of the public men of the Bay State.

John Davis Long was born at Buckfield, Me., Oct. 27, 1838. He was prepared for college at Hebron, Me., and entered Harvard at the age of 14. He made a brilliant record at college and showed particularly as a poet, a gentle art which he has practiced as a pastime occasionally in later years. After his graduation from Harvard, in 1857, he was engaged as principal of the Westford academy, where he taught until 1859. He then began to attend the Harvard Law school. In 1861 he was admitted to the bar and opened an office in his native town.

He did not remain long there, however, for he concluded that a young man had a better chance in Massachusetts.

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JUDGE JOSEPH M'KENNA, SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

Judge Joseph McKenna of California, in President McKinley's cabinet as secretary of the interior, is a native of Philadelphia. He was born Aug. 10, 1843, and removed with his parents to Benicia, Cal., in 1855. His education, commenced in the public schools of Philadelphia, was completed at the Benicia College institute, now St. Augustine college, where he studied law. He was admitted to the bar in 1865, and in the same year, at the age of 22, was elected district attorney of Solano county, the duties of which office he discharged faithfully for four years.

In 1875 he was elected to the California legislature. While serving his constituents in this capacity he made a reputation for himself as champion of the public school system, then suffering seriously from sectarian attacks. In the following year he was nominated for congress, but was defeated by a small majority.

His friends were determined, however, that their champion should have a seat in congress, so they continued to push young McKenna for the office, and finally, in 1884, he was elected by a handsome majority. In 1888 he was again nominated and elected, and in 1890 the same honor was conferred upon him.

On Feb. 11, 1892, President Harrison appointed Mr. McKenna to the position of judge of the United States circuit court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Lorenzo Sawyer.

It was while both were serving on the ways and means committee that Major McKinley and Judge McKenna formed the friendship which binds them now, and it was here that each recognized the special capabilities of the other. President Elect McKinley has always held a high opinion of Judge McKenna's ability as a jurist, and his appreciation of Judge McKenna's knowledge of western affairs and the general interests of the interior have no doubt largely influenced him in making this selection.

Judge McKenna is described as being a studious man devoted to his judicial duties, but affable and easy in his manner. His popularity in California has been continuous and ever increasing, and he is regarded as in every way worthy of the honor conferred upon him.

COLONEL JOHN J. MCCOOK, ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Colonel John J. McCook, the man designated by Mr. McKinley for the office of attorney general, is one of the fighting McCoaks of Ohio who fought for the Union throughout the civil war. Several of the Wisconsin delegation in congress were asked the other day about General Howe's career and acknowledged that it was quite unknown to them, except in general way.

Colonel John J. McCook was born at Carrollton, O., May 25, 1845. When the war broke out, he was a student at Kenyon college, and at the beginning of his freshman year he enlisted in the Sixth Ohio cavalry. Soon after passing his seventeenth birthday he was promoted to a first lieutenant and was assigned to duty on the staff of General Thomas L. Crittenden, commanding a corps of the Army of the Ohio which subsequently became the Twenty-first corps of the Army of the Cumberland. He served in the campaigns of Perryville, Storm River, Tullahoma, Chattanooga and Chickamauga and was with General Grant in his campaign with the Army of the Potomac from the battle of the Wilderness to the crossing of the James river. He was commissioned a captain and aid-de-camp of United States volunteers in September, 1863, and was breveted major of volunteers for gallant and meritorious service in action at Shady Grove, Va., where he was dangerously wounded. In the same campaign he was afterward made lieutenant colonel and colonel for the same reasons.

Among the business men of Baltimore he has a "gilt edged" standing that is only to be attained by years of business probity and proved stability. For several years Mr. Gary was president of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association. He is now vice president of the Consolidated Gas company and vice president of the Citizens' National bank. He also holds directorships in the Savings Bank of Baltimore, the Warehouse company, the American Insurance company, the Merchants and Manufacturers' Insurance company and the Baltimore Trust and Guaranty company. His greatest prominence has been

honored very few in a like manner, conferred upon Colonel McCook the degree of doctor of laws.

Colonel McCook settled down to the practice of law in New York city, and at once began to take high rank in the profession. His practice grew large and lucrative, and upon his opinions many weighty matters are decided. He married a daughter of Henry M. Alexander, the head of the firm of which he has long been a member. Colonel McCook is an elder in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church and is active in the practical and benevolent work of the church. He is also a member of the Metropolitan, City, Union, New York Athletic, Harvard, Kenyon, Ohio and Tuxedo clubs, the Bar association and the Military Order of the Loyal Legion.

EX-CONGRESSMAN JAMES WILSON, SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE.

Ex-Congressman James Wilson of Iowa, to whom President McKinley tendered the agricultural portfolio, is a man well fitted for the position which he is to fill. He is not a native of America, but from the time he was 16 years old his life and work have been devoted to the interests of his adopted country, and particularly in the line of her agricultural development.

Mr. Wilson was born in Ayrshire, Scotland, Aug. 16, 1835, and came, with his parents, to America in 1851. The Wilsons lived first in Connecticut, removing to Iowa when James Wilson was still in his "teens." The education of the lad was of the common school variety, but years of reading and other self education developed his mind liberally, and by the time he was 21 years of age he was able to teach school himself. This he did for a number of years in the neighborhood of Buckingham and West Union, Ia. At this time young Wilson was very poor, and it was said that he often went about barefooted because he could not afford to wear shoes. However, his frugal habits of life soon enabled him to lay by a snug fortune, and he retired from pedagogy and bought a farm. His interest in agricultural pursuits led him to devote nearly all his time to the management of his fine estate. He became prominent in all movements for bettering the condition of farms and farmers, and also in the improvement in the breed of cattle.

Recognizing his peculiar abilities, his neighbors elected him to the state legislature, where he served three terms. A few years later—in 1874, in fact—a large constituency elected him to the Forty-fourth congress. He was re-elected for a succeeding term, and after a lapse of six years was again sent to Washington, this time as a member of the Forty-eighth congress.

At the close of his congressional career he returned to his home in Iowa and again centered his attention upon his beloved hobby, agriculture. Besides the management of his magnificent farm he found leisure to devote much time to assisting the researches of agricultural societies and writing largely for agricultural publications.

In further recognition of his worth and usefulness in his chosen field of effort, Mr. Wilson was made professor of agriculture in the University of Iowa, at Ames.

Personally Mr. Wilson is quite popular. He is an easy and fluent talker in public or private, and is said to make friends merely by his pleasing and unaffected manner.

GONE AND FORGOTTEN.

Few Members of the Cabinet Make Names That Live Long.

"Can you name the members of President Garfield's cabinet?" asks the Washington Post. "Do you recall the distinguished gentlemen that made up President Hayes' official family?" And then it goes on to answer its own question.

The career of Timothy O. Howe of Wisconsin is an instance. He was a veteran senator for many years from the Badger State and a most efficient postmaster general under President Arthur. Several of the Wisconsin delegation in congress were asked the other day about General Howe's career and acknowledged that it was quite unknown to them, except in general way.

William Windom of Minnesota, who died so tragically at a dinner in New York, was secretary of the treasury under Garfield. Robert T. Lincoln of Chicago was secretary of war and the only member of Garfield's cabinet that Arthur retained. Thomas L. James of New York, Garfield's postmaster general, became president of the Lincoln National bank and the Lincoln Safe Deposit company of New York.</

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QUICK WORK.

The outlook for early tariff legislation is bright. It will be easy for the republicans to push bills through the house in three or four weeks after it is reported. There is said to be nobody in the senate, after all, who will offer cogent objections. This should insure its passage in the senate within five or six weeks after it is brought up and should put it in President McKinley's hands before Jan. 15.

This would be quick work, it is true, but the reasons for it are plain and urgent. Business wants certainty, and then it wants freedom from all further danger of tariff changes for several years.

The tariff is an old question. It has been discussed every few years from 1789 onward. Nothing new can be said upon it now. The bill which the ways and means committee is framing can doubtless be quickly passed in all its essential features by congress and the country Long speeches upon it will not be needed. The members of the committee have had considerable experience in tariff framing, and as they know the fate of their party in the immediate future may largely depend upon this bill they have the most powerful incentive to shape it so that it will be satisfactory to the people. It is to the interest of the country that this legislation should be had at the earliest practicable moment.

THE PULSE OF TRADE.

Iron production has so long been considered a reliable trade barometer that the figures of the pig iron output are interesting. This amounted to 162,950 tons a week at the beginning of the present month, which was a gain of more than 3,600 tons over the output month earlier. There has been a steady increase since October 1, the time at which the country began to realize that Bryan's defeat was certain. The growth in production in the past few weeks has been smaller than it was three or four months ago but as the iron market has been disturbed recently on account of the collapse of some pools in iron and steel products and the expected wreck of other trusts which has not yet taken place, the fact that there has been an increase at all is encouraging.

CUBANS ARE DEFIANT.

The military and civil heads of the Cuban insurgents have once more declared that they will not accept home rule. Nothing short of absolute separation from Spain will induce them to lay down their arms. Home rule, even under the conditions often suggested—that is, under an American guarantee—would be worth nothing to the Cubans, while it would be an embarrassment to the United States. Spain, of course would disregard her promises, and the attempt on the United States' part to compel her to respect them would result in war. It is better on all accounts that the Cubans reject Spain's proposals. Their chances for ultimate independence apparently grow better as time passes.

Local militiamen have received samples of the new 25-calibre cartridges used in the United States navy. The bullets look like knitting needles and are in strong contrast to the ounce slugs of the Springfield. One thing about the Springfield bullet, though, if it hits a man he doesn't fit three or four hours before he finds out that he has been hit.

It takes the backbone out of hard times stories—this Midwinter fair showing of Rock county's wealth. Hard times can be no stern reality as long as such corn and potatoes and tobacco and barley and fruit are abundant. Where else in the state would such a display be possible? The pride of Old Rock is justified.

What has the sugar trust done to the maple sugar industry? Heretofore the "new crop" has been in market before Jan. 10 every year in spite of the fact that sap does not begin to run until March or April.

The stay-at-home republicans of 1893 cost the county \$36,000,000 according to the latest figures on the treasury deficiency.

A monthly market in some suitable building would be a fit outgrowth of the Midwinter Fair.

The finest chocolate creams in the city only 40 cents a pound, 25 cent in extra session. The date of the assembling will probably be March 16.

IN THE WHITE HOUSE

MR. MCKINLEY TAKES DINNER WITH THE PRESIDENT.

Journey from Canton safely accomplished, and the Party Arrives at the Capital in Excellent Spirits—Details of the Inauguration Program Arranged.

Washington, March 3.—Maj. McKinley, with his family and large party of friends, arrived safely in the capital city a minute after 11 o'clock Tuesday morning over the Pennsylvania railroad. The weather was cheerful and bright, with warm sunshine over all and a temperature if anything too high to be seasonable.

A large crowd had assembled at the Pennsylvania station long before the train arrived and it required the efforts of a considerable force of police to keep the approaches clear. There was a good deal of disappointment expressed among these people over the absence of military in the escort, but it was by special request of the President-elect that such formalities were dispensed with on this occasion.

As soon as the cars came to a stop Gov. Bushnell boarded the train, entering car No. 38, where the President-elect, with the members of his immediate family were in waiting. The executive committee also paid their respects to the incoming chief magistrate, and without delay the party started for the carriages which were to convey them to the Ebbitt. The President-elect appeared to be in the best of spirits. Mrs. McKinley also appeared to advantage.

At the Ebbitt house the crowd had been gathering since early breakfast time, preempting doorways, carriage steps, windows and other points of vantage. The Presidential party arrived about 11:20 o'clock and by a clever coup the President-elect gained entrance to the hotel without inconvenience.

Maj. McKinley received a few friends quite informally and then settled down to rest and a light luncheon, but there was no semblance of a public reception.

President Cleveland and Mrs. Cleveland at night entertained at dinner President-elect McKinley. It was expected that Mrs. McKinley would accompany her husband to the dinner, but owing to the exhaustion that followed the exciting events of the journey from Canton and the day in Washington, she was unable to do so.

ARRANGING THE DETAILS.

National Salutes to Be Fired in Honor of President McKinley.

Washington, March 3.—A national salute of twenty-one guns will be fired when President Cleveland leaves the White House in company with Mr. McKinley for the capitol, and another salute of twenty-one guns will announce that they have entered the capitol. One gun will be fired when Mr. McKinley takes the oath of office and a national salute of twenty-one guns at the conclusion of the inaugural when President McKinley and Mr. Cleveland begin their return march to the White House and the same number of guns when the tour is made. President McKinley enters the White House or the reviewing stand.

Mr. Cleveland's Sickness.

Washington, March 3.—President Cleveland has suffered for a week past from rheumatic gout, which has now assumed such proportions that there is some question whether or not he will be able to take part in the inaugural ceremonies at the capitol on March 4, though he is taking special care of himself in order that he may perform his part in the ceremonies. While his condition is not such as to excite any alarm it is extremely painful.

The Big Parade.

Washington, March 3.—Grand Marshal Porter is hard at work at his quarters arranging for the big inaugural parade on Thursday. A rough total of the number of regular and militia soldiers and sailors who will be in line shows an aggregate of 11,000 to 12,000. The escort of President McKinley will number about 500. The civic organizations vary greatly in strength, but are estimated at about 12,000.

Is Fighting for Cuba.

Poole, Ore., March 3.—The mystery surrounding the inexplicable disappearance of Russell Montgomery of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Montgomery, from the naval academy at Annapolis May 1, 1896, has been solved. Young Montgomery is fighting for Cuba libre and as lieutenant of a dynamite battery is making a record of heroism for the cause he has enlisted to defend.

New Stop Yards Rule.

Lincoln, Neb., March 3.—The senate spent Tuesday in animated debate on a bill to regulate stock yards. It was finally recommended to pass, after several amendments. It reduces charges about 20 per cent and limits all charges to prices specified. Charges for grain and hay are limited to market price, plus 50 per cent of price.

Salaries for Michigan Legislators.

Lansing, Mich., March 3.—The senate committee of the whole agreed to joint resolutions fixing the salary of members of the Legislature at \$600 and a mileage fee of 5 cents and that limiting introduction of bills to thirty days.

Extra Session for Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., March 3.—Governor Bradley will, on Friday, issue a proclamation calling the legislature together in extra session. The date of the assembling will probably be March 16.

CHANGE OF JAILS ORDERED.

Jackson and Walling to Be Taken from Newport to Alexandria.

Newport, Ky., March 3.—Judge Helm and Sheriff Plummer held a short conference Tuesday concerning the removal of Jackson and Walling to the Alexandria jail. The conference ended by Judge Helm ordering the prisoners taken to Alexandria at once. They will be kept at Alexandria until March 20, when they will be brought back to Newport and hanged.

The removal was caused by the two officers of the death watch, who had discovered evidences of attempted suicide on the part of Jackson and Walling. They were powerless to prevent articles being smuggled to the prisoners.

Bank Wrecker Found in Chicago.

New York, March 3.—A special dispatch from Montreal to the Evening Post says: "J. S. Bousequet, the former cashier of the Banque du Peuple, who was charged with wrecking that institution, has been located. A detective agency has ascertained that he and his family are living in Chicago and moving in good society. He is doing business as a stock broker and has become a member of the Chicago stock exchange. To do this it was necessary to make a statement that he was worth at least \$75,000, and he made a deposition to that effect."

Anglo-Venezuelan Entente.

Washington, March 3.—The state department has been informed that diplomatic relations between Venezuela and Great Britain, which were interrupted some years ago, have been restored, and that Juan Pietrie, the present Venezuelan minister to Germany, has been transferred to Great Britain. This will leave but one step to wind up the whole embarrassing and critical Venezuelan controversy—the assured ratification by the Venezuelan congress of the arbitration agreement.

Big Strike Threatened.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 3.—National Vice-President Kane of the United Mine Workers, says a strike of the 10,000 railroad miners in this district is inevitable unless there is a change for the better before the opening of the lake trade. The diggers are getting 54 to 60 cents per ton for mining and will demand 69 cents. He says the lake season will open in April or early in May, and the miners will attempt to tie up the lake trade.

Train Robbers Must Die.

Kansas City, Mo., March 3.—Judge Wofford of the Criminal Court decided in a lengthy opinion that the law fixing the death penalty for train robbing was constitutional. The decision was in the case of the Blue Cut train robbers, Kennedy, Bolen and Flinn, who filed a demurser to the indictments. After the trial, if the men are convicted, they will appeal to the Supreme Court as a further test of the law.

Tried to Wreck a Fast Train.

Bulter, Ind., March 3.—The St. Louis and Detroit eastbound passenger train on the Wabash road was run off the track at Newton at an early hour Tuesday morning on the Lake Erie crossing, the agent being so placed as to cause the wreck. No one was injured, though the train was a fast one and was well loaded.

Cannot Attend the Inaugural.

Ottawa, Ont., March 3.—Owing to the early opening of parliament and pressure of public business Premier Laurier stated today he had been compelled to decline the invitation extended to him self and colleagues to be present at the presidential inaugural ceremonies at Washington on the 4th inst.

Bliss Pondering on the Cabinet.

Washington, March 3.—Cornelius N. Bliss called upon Senator-elect Platt of New York at the Arlington last night. He has so far yielded to Major McKinley's wishes as to consent to take back his original refusal of a cabinet position and to promise further to consider the offer.

Ship Building Yards Close.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 3.—The Globe Iron works officials have closed their ship-building works and yard for an indefinite time. The closing of the yards was a great surprise to the strikers. About 800 men are thus thrown out of employment.

Shipping Steel Rails to Japan.

Dubuque, Ia., March 3.—Many cars of steel rails, destined to Japan, are passing through Dubuque daily over the Chicago Great Western. The recent drop in the price of rails is responsible for the large shipments.

Want Ambassador Uhl Retained.

Berlin, March 3.—A petition for the retention here of Edwin F. Uhl, United States ambassador to Germany, signed by a number of prominent Americans in this city, has been cabled to President-elect McKinley.

Andrew Carnegie Is Improving.

Greenwich, Conn., March 3.—It is announced that Andrew Carnegie, who is seriously ill at his Greenwich residence, is improving. Unless unexpected complications set in, it is expected that he will speedily recover.

Mount Holyoke Is Enriched.

South Hadley, Mass., March 3.—The faculty of Mount Holyoke College has announced the gift to the college of \$40,000 for a dormitory by John D. Rockefeller of New York, and the receipt of a check "from a friend" for \$2,500.

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Signed, CON MCDONALD, Janesville, Wis.

If you are ruptured consult WINN & SOVEREIGN, Exclusive Owners of the

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Flannels

full of

Honest

Service AT

Half Price...

Our flannel counter will delight careful housekeepers. Nothing gives the service of honestly woven dress flannels, and the prices we have made are an inducement to buying for future use. For instance:

All wool flannel dress goods light tans and browns, 54-in. wide, strictly all wool at 25c

All wool flannel dress goods 54-inches wide. These goods come in brown, green and blues. The price is 27¹/₂c worth 50 cents.

All wool dress flannels, 54-in. wide. Several shades of brown, several shades of gray, navy blue and scarlet. Well worth 75c, they go at 40c

Ladies Cloth—all wool, 54-in. wide. The regular 90-cent goods. Blue and black 59c. The price is

You Can't Go Amiss

if you get a package like this. It contains the genuine

GOLD DUST

Washing Powder

It cleans everything and cleans it quickly and cheaply.

Largest package—greatest economy.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,
Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.



Warned by Smell of Smoke...

The many fires of late have made people think about their insurance—the companies in which it is written, and the amount covered. The good business man does not forget that his property may go next. He does not expose himself to a crippling loss.

Loans placed on real estate HAYNER & BEERS.

Room 10 Jackman block.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.

The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILL ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies.

Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other.

Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00.

DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO. - Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale by Harry E. Hanous, Janesville.

The Nolan Bros.

ORIGINAL BRAND
OF BUTTER.

Palmer & Bonesteel

We have a full line of the

CONSTABLE SWORE AND PAID A FINE

ORFORDVILLE OFFICER PUT
UNDER ARREST.

He Pleads Guilty and Says While He
Will Not Seek Re-election, He Will
See That His Duty is Done
Even Though it Cost Him
\$500.

Constable N. K. Thorson was ar-
rested today at Orford by Sheriff
Cochrane on a warrant sworn out
by James Ennis who charges him with
using abusive language. Constable
Thorson appeared before Judge Phelps
this morning, pleaded guilty, and was
fined \$1 and costs or \$9.40 in all.
Thorson is the proprietor of a meat
market at Orford and is also the vil-
lage constable. It is claimed by Ennis
and his friends that Constable Thor-
son has been investigating the alleged
selling of liquor by Ennis. This fact
led to disagreement the other even-
ing, in which it is claimed that Thor-
son used abusive language. The argu-
ment resulted in Thorson's arrest.

"As soon as my time is out next
April," remarked Thorson this morning,
"I will not enter the field of
politics again under any circumstan-
ces. In the meantime the village of
Orford will be well cared for while I
am constable, if it costs me \$500."

The examination of Charles Folson,
charged with arson, was adjourned
until March 5.

The case of the state against A. B.,
Howard, and Roy Manley of Sheppire,
who was charged with assaulting F.
L. Steadwell, came up today. The
defendant demanded a jury trial, so a
venire was issued, and the case will
come up tomorrow morning at 9
o'clock.

BELOIT LIKED THE OPERA

In Some Respects It Rivalled Work of
Professional Companies.

The Beloit Free Press says: "The
lower part of the opera house was
well filled last night, with an audience
to hear the pleasing opera 'Ermine'
rendered by Janesville talent, assisted
by Miss Margaret Salisbury of Chicago.
The opera went off in good style, and
was very cordially received. The
choruses were generally excellent, and in some cases reached
the rank of eloquence that characterizes first class professional
companies. The dialogues were all carried
out and there was little to criticize in
the performance had it been by a purely
professional company. Miss Salis-
bury is a remarkably fine singer and
won great popularity.

The opera was given under the aus-
pices of the Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's
Episcopal church, for the benefit of
the choir fund, but we fear
the benefit was not realized.
However, it was a pleasant
social event and it permitted Beloit
people to get acquainted with Janes-
ville singers. Some of our citizens
express regret that the audience was
not larger and feared that the Janes-
ville folks would think Beloit was not
friendly, or failed to appreciate their
visit here but as far as that is con-
cerned Beloit gave the company about
as big an audience as the opera had
either nights at home.

BEYOND THE CARES OF EARTH.

Funeral of Mrs. M. L. Richardson.

Funeral services over the remains of
Mrs. M. L. Richardson were held this
afternoon at 2 o'clock from the resi-
dence on St. Mary's avenue. Rev. V.
E. Southworth officiated, and the in-
terment was in Oak Hill. The pall
bearers were W. M. Humphrey, A. M.
Glenn, F. H. Green, Lee Beers and
Eugene Mitchell.

The Finest Grocery

In the city, the La Vista opened by
F. S. Winslow in the Kent block. All
new goods and the best that can be
bought. Have as fine a line of grocer-
ies as there is in the city and I have
also a lot of nice bargains for every
one.

22 lb granulated sugar..... \$1.00

Patent flour..... 1.00

Good flour..... 65

Select oysters per qt..... 25

Pail jelly..... 30

4 lb Anchor roll oats..... 25

6 lb evaporated apples..... 25

Picnic hams..... 6

Fine pork..... 2

9 quart beans..... 25

McLaughlin's xxxx coffee..... 15

Crankley's celery sauce..... 25

All A. B. C. crackers 6 lbs..... 25

Large box mustard sardines..... 5

Fine table syrup per gallon..... 15

6 bottles catsup..... 25

F. Winslow, 50 S. Main street.

Dress Skirts.

We have just added a new depart-
ment that you might say to our business,
that of dress skirts. We have never
handled them before and have re-
ceived a most complete line of them,
all new styles and absolutely correct
patterns. Never having handled them
before we have no old styles on goods
to show you. In our large ad. page 8
this evening we give you a list and
prices that are of interest to every
lady. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Eggs Drop.

Strictly fresh eggs
13 cents a dozen at Sanborn's. All you
want of them, stock's
up while they are
low. Sanborn & Co.

H. F. BEAUCHAMP & Co. have pur-
chased the market at 3 South Frank-
lin street, and will open it tomorrow
with a fresh stock of fruits.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH.

New dress goods at Bort, Bailey &
Co's.

13 CENTS a dozen for eggs at San-
born's.

CHICAGO meat was delivered to local
butchers today.

Eggs, eggs, eggs only 13 cents a
dozen at Sanborn's.

STRICTLY fresh eggs 13 cents a
dozen at Sanborn's.

GREAT line of dress skirts just in at
Bort, Bailey & Co's.

OVER 100 new dress skirts just in
at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

BARNARD & Wilder shipped two cars of
tobacco east today.

The Park House had over a hun-
dred guests at dinner.

\$4 for a \$7.50 enameled shoe, S. &
G. make at Richardson's.

MONEY to loan on real estate without
commission. S. D. Grubb.

ALL the eggs you want only 13
cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

A COMPETENT girl wanted immedi-
ately. Mrs. A. H. Barrington.

The Janesville Carriage Works have
shipped a wagonette to Madison.

SEVERAL improvements have been
made at Dr. Pember's residence.

FANCY new pickles 15 cents a gall-
on or 5 cents a quart at Sanborn's.

FRESH caniliflower, celery, radishes
and lettuce received today at San-
born's.

ENSIGN HEMMING goes to Chicago to-
morrow to accept a position in a drug
store.

FROM \$7 to \$4 that is the way Rich-
ardson cuts the price of enamel shoes
for men.

FINE oranges plenty of them 10
cents a dozen, 3 dozen 25 cents at
Sanborn's.

35 patent leather shoes for men at
\$3.50. Think of the snap Richardson
offers you.

ABOUT 150 cords of second growth
wood left. I close the yard April 1.
F. A. Taylor.

Get your fish, any kind, of Sanborn.
He has a very large stock and prices
are very low.

The Brodhead and Monroe train this
morning brought one hundred people
to the fair.

RICHARDSON's enamel shoes are caus-
ing a great stir. Not often you get
\$7 shoes at \$4.

85, 86 and 87 patent leather shoes
odd sizes but good styles for men only
\$2 at Richardson's.

ENAMEL shoes as well as all other
shoes go at about your own price at
Bennett & Cram's.

W. SCIDMORE was over from Han-
over yesterday, to consult Dr. McPhe-
ron about his eyes.

People visiting the Midwinter fair
should take home a sack of Shackel-
ton's Pearl White flour.

J. M. SHACKLETON received an order
yesterday for a car of his flour to be
shipped to Orfordville.

FIVE hundred bales Al choice tim-
thy hay 40 cents at store and 45 cents
delivered. F. A. Taylor.

HAVE you got a coupon on that bi-
cycle? Remember it is to be given
away March 15. Bennett & Cram.

Mrs. JOHN KILMER, of Afton, and
Rob Cornish, of Fort Atkinson, were
out of town patients of Dr. McPherson
today.

FOR 25, 39, 47 and 61 cents we
show you the nicest line of dress goods
for spring in the city. Bort, Bailey
& Co.

DRESS goods are cheaper at our
store this spring than ever. It's the
cash plan that does it. Bort, Bailey
& Co.

Mrs. O. D. ROWE and daughter left
yesterday for Edgerton.

CHRIS BORRECK left on the morning
train for Edgerton.

MRS. C. K. ADAMS returned to Mad-
ison this morning.

C. L. FOSTER of Beloit, was attend-
ing the fair today.

Mrs. and Mrs. S. B. Fellows were
down from Evansville.

WILLIAM SULLIVAN of Fort Atkinson
is visiting in the city.

MR. and Mrs. C. E. Spoor of Evans-
ville were here today.

MISS NELLIE ANDERSON has returned
to her home in Clinton.

C. W. JACKMAN has been on the sick
list during the past week.

Mrs. William T. Pomeroy is con-
fined to her home by grip.

MRS. O. D. ROWE and daughter left
yesterday for Edgerton.

ATTORNEY E. D. McGOWAN returned
from St. Paul last evening.

MRS. J. A. ANNIS, of Sterling, Ill.,
is the guest of local relatives.

J. W. BATES and wife of Fulton,
spent the day with local friends.

Miss Anna Toe is confined to her
Prospect avenue home by illness.

W. T. DOOLEY will preside at an
auction sale at Dunkirk tomorrow.

EDGERTON, Brodhead and Beloit
were represented at the fair today.

MRS. E. H. HARLOW will arrive in
the city from Gallup, N. M. this evening.

GEORGE CUMMINGS is not expected to
live. He has been ill about two
weeks.

REPUBLICANS LOSE VOTES IN IOWA.

DES MOINES, Iowa, March 3.—The
Democrats and free silverites made
gains in Monday's elections in Iowa.
The following towns show Democratic
gains: Columbus Junction, Madison,
Colfax, Tama, Toledo, Anamosa, Al-
gonia, Perry, Boone, Newton, Ottumwa,
Clinton, Waterloo.

WE SHOW OVER 75 DIFFERENT SILK WAIST
PATTERNS; ALL OF THEM BEAUTIFUL. BEST
TIME OF YEAR TO MAKE A SELECTION FOR
SPRING. BORT, BAILEY & CO.

NO NECESSITY OF MAKING A SKIRT
WHEN YOU CAN BUY ONE SO CHEAP AT
BORT, BAILEY & CO'S. SEE THEIR
LARGE PAGE 8, FOR PARTICULARS.

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IF YOUR GROCER DOES NOT KEEP PEARI
WHITE OR VIENNA FLOUR AND REFUSES TO
SEND THEM TO YOU CAN GET THEM AT THE
MILL. J. M. SHACKLETON.

DON'T FORGET WE SHOW YOU NO OLD
STYLE SKIRTS, EVERY GARMENT WE HAVE IS
JUST RECEIVED, NEW AND OF CORRECT
SWEEP, ETC. BORT, BAILEY & CO.

THINK OF THE BOY. HE WANTS A
TRICYCLE AND HIS CHANCE IS AS GOOD AS
ANYBODY. EVERY 50 CENT PURCHASE
ENTITLES YOU TO A TICKET. BENNETT &
CRAM.

LOWELL WILL HAVE AN OFFICE IN HIS
FORMER TIN SHOP AT THE REAR OF HIS
OLD STORE ALL THIS WEEK. ALL THOSE INDEBTED
TO THE LOWELL HARDWARE COMPANY WILL SAVE COSTS BY CALLING ON HIM.

ANYONE WANTING A SHOW CASE CAN
GET A FINE SELECTION CHEAP FROM LOWELL.
THEY CAN BE SEEN LINED UP AT THE
MIDWINTER FAIR. YOU PAY YOUR MONEY
AND TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

WE SHOW A LINE OF DRESS SKIRTS AT
\$1.25, THAT THE MATERIAL ALONE WOULD
COST YOU THAT SHOULD YOU START A SKIRT
YOURSELF, SO YOU SEE YOU SAVE THE PRICE
OF MAKING IT. BORT, BAILEY & CO.

LOSE—FOR TERRIER, BLACK HEAD AND
EAR; WHITE STRIP ON FACE; BAL-
ANCE OF FACE TAN COLORED; WHITE BODY.
NAME TEDDY. REWARD IF RETURNED.
CHARLES H. PATTERSON, J. L. FORD & SON.

MAC LEAN IS CRAZY THE DOCTORS SAY

JOHNSTOWN FARMER LOSES
HIS REASON.

HE HAD SUFFERED A SEVERE ILLNESS AND
BROODED OVER HIS BUSINESS AFFAIRS
UNTIL HE BECAME DERANGED AND
FRIENDS FEARED SOMETHING WOULD
HAPPEN TO HIM.

JAMES MACLEAN, WHO HAS BECOME
HOPELESSLY INSANE AS THE RESULT OF ILL-
NESS, WAS TAKEN TO THE ASYLUM AT MEN-
DOTA THIS MORNING BY SHERIFF ACHESEN.

MACLEAN IS BUT TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS OF
AGE AND IS A HARD WORKING FARMER WHO
RESIDES ON THE JOHN HAMILTON PLACE
NEAR JOHNSTOWN. HE CAME TO THIS
COUNTRY FROM SCOTLAND EIGHT YEARS AGO
AND SOON AFTER LANDING IN NEW YORK
MADE HIS WAY TO WISCONSIN, AND SETTLED
NEAR JOHNSTOWN.

THE COOKING SCHOOL OPENED AT 1:30
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RAISES A QUESTION.

The Election of a Woman as Head of the Minneapolis School Board.

Mrs. Jennie C. Crays has just been elected the president of the school board after a service of four years as member of that body. The people tried Mrs. Crays as an experiment when they put her in office, but she proved such a success that all doubt of her ability has long since disappeared. She was voted into the presidency by the men members of the board as a reward for the faithful performance of her duties. Mrs. Crays is the first woman to serve on the school board of Minneapolis. She is an active clubwoman and the secretary of the Foreign Missionary society of Plymouth church. For eight years she was a



MRS. JENNIE C. CRAYS.

teacher in the public schools, and for 21 years she has been a resident of the city. She has always been interested in politics, but has never taken an active part in campaigns.

An interesting question is raised by her election to the presidency of the school board. The person holding that office is, by law, an ex-officio member of the library board and the tax levy board. The latter fixes the rate of taxation. It is claimed that men only are eligible to membership in this board, and it is possible that the courts will be requested to pass upon the matter should Mrs. Crays attempt to assist in adjusting the taxes.—Minneapolis Cor. Chicago Times-Herald.

Woman's Relief Corps.

One of the largest and most influential societies in this country is the Woman's Relief Corps auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic. It is a national organization, having state associations, county and local unions. It is composed of the women relatives of those who fought in the rebellion and is said to be nearly 500,000 strong.

It is very well represented in the Greater New York, having clubs or unions in nearly every section of the territory. A prominent local union is the Winfield Scott Hancock corps, No. 160. It has just gone through the annual election and installation, which resulted in a new board of officers, headed by Mrs. Ada G. Mohr, the new president, who is also one of the managers of the State Home for the Wives and Widows of Soldiers and for Army Nurses.—Margherita Arlina Hamm in New York Mail and Express.

The Girls Excelled.

Professor Frederick W. Card of the University of Nebraska says of that institution: "It is modeled closely after Cornell university and conducted along the lines that have made Cornell so justly famed. For several years past the attendance of students has averaged about 1,500, young women being admitted on equal terms with young men. Coeducation has been a success thus far and has got past the experimental stage. Some time ago the Phi Beta Kappa society was organized in the university. All collegians know that the qualifications for membership therein include a high standard of scholarship. Now, it happened that, though the young women of the university were not so numerous as the males, more of the girls were able to become Phi Beta Kappas. This was not the result of favoritism, but was determined solely by merit."

Dr. Mary E. Walker.

Dr. Mary E. Walker has again begun to hold levees in the capitol at Washington. "Time," says the Washington Post, "has dealt very gently with the doctor, and her brown hair, carefully trimmed after the style of a college professor, has yet very few silver threads. Her dress is that of a man, and her shirts, collars and cuffs are in the latest style. A little red carnation adorns the lapel of her coat, and her overcoat has a short cloak over the shoulders, with a velvet collar. This remarkable woman owns considerable property near Oswego, N. Y., which, for the last quarter of a century, she has been trying to donate either to the government, to the state or to some wealthy individual who will construct thereon a hospital for the treatment and cure of consumption and all throat and lung troubles."

Fabrics For Spring Gowns.

As many women begin very soon after the holidays to plan for their spring and summer wardrobes, taking advantage of the new materials which are shown in the shops from January on, colors and fabrics will prove of general interest this month, even though Easter is particularly late this year. The really important feature of the spring and summer gowns will be the favor which is to be extended to transparent materials, which makes the lining nearly as prominent as the outside material. The outlook is for bright colors and the return of many smooth fabrics for street wear.—Emma M. Hooper in Ladies' Home Journal.

Miss Temple, Decorator.

Miss Grace Lincoln Temple, perhaps best known as the decorator of the Woman's building at the Atlanta exposition, though many handsome houses in Washington and elsewhere owe their artistic interior to her, has been intrusted with the decoration of Mrs. Cleveland's new house at Princeton.

Excursion Rates to Washington.

For the benefit of those desiring to witness the inauguration of the next president of the United States, the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip from all points on its lines in Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois. Tickets will be sold March 1, 2 and 3, valid for return until March 8. Similar tickets, via B. & O. R. R. will be sold by all the railroads throughout the west. In addition to being the shortest and most direct line to Washington, the B. & O. passes through a region of greater scenic magnificence and historic interest than any in all America. Passengers also have the option of traveling via Akron and Pittsburgh or via Bellaire and Grafton either going or returning. The through trains of the B. & O. are vestibuled throughout, equipped with Pullman Sleepers and the Dining Car.

It is surprising what a "wee bit" of a thing can accomplish. Sick headache, constipation, dyspepsia, sour stomach, dizziness, are quickly banished by Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers. Small pill. \$1.00 per bottle. Best pills. C. D. Stevens.

The Hot Springs

located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. Ry.

If you have ever seen a child in the agony of croup, you can appreciate the gratitude of the mothers who know that One Minute Cough Cure relieves their little ones as quickly as it is administered. Many homes in this city are never without it. C. D. Stevens.

Half Fare to Washington.

On account of the presidential inauguration, March 4, the Northwestern line will on March 1 and 2, and for all trains reaching Chicago March 3, sell excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., at one fare for the round trip, limited to return until March 10. For tickets and information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

E. E. Turner, of Compton, Mo., writes that after suffering from piles for seventeen years, he completely cured them by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures eczema and severe skin diseases. C. D. Stevens.

Relief In Six Hours.

Distrressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a result of an account of the effects of kidney stones in a long篇 of the book, "Kidney, back and every part of the urinary passages in male and female." It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief, an cure this is your remedy. Sold by E. B. Helmstreet, druggist, Janesville, Wis.

Many cases of "Grippe" have lately been cured by One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation seems especially adapted to the cure of this disease. It acts quickly thus preventing serious complications and bad effects in which this disease often leaves the patient. C. D. Stevens.

Don't allow the lungs to be impaired by the continuous irritation of a cough. It is easier to prevent consumption than to cure it. One Minute Cough cure taken early will ward off any fatal lung trouble. C. D. Stevens.

They are so small that the most sensitive persons take them, they are so effective that the most obstinate cases of constipation, headache and torpid liver yield to them. That is why DeWitt's Little Early Risers are known as the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

One minute is all the time necessary to decide from personal experience that One Minute Cough Cure does what its name implies. C. D. Stevens.

In Real Life.

"He doesn't smoke, doesn't drink and shaves himself."

"Goodness! He ought to be rich."

"No; he's so poor that he has to economize in that way!"—Chicago Record.

The Extreme Penalty.

She—And did your friend take the doctor's advice?

He—Certainly.

And did he pay for it?

Well, I should rather say he did. He's dead!"—Yonkers Statesman.

There Was a Crowd.

Hostess (entertaining two lady friends, to herself)—Oh, dear, I do wish one would go—I have so much to tell either of them about the other!—Tit-Bits.

An Impossibility.

Photographer—Now, look pleasant, please.

Sitter—How can I, when you charge eight dollars a dozen for cabinets?—N. Y. Tribune.

Rather Decollete.

Mrs. Vincent—What do you think of my dress? Mme. Marie when she had finished it described it as a dream.

Mr. Vincent—Well, it has about as little body as a dream.—Judy.

New Washington and Baltimore Line.

The Monon Route has established a new through sleeping car line from Washington and Baltimore via Cincinnati, by the C. H. & O. B. & O. W. and B. & O. Ry's. The sleeper is ready for occupancy in Dearborn Station at 9:30 P. M., and leaves at 2:45 A. M. daily arriving at Washington at 6:47 A. M. and Baltimore at 7:30 A. M. The schedule will go into effect April 1.

As the sleeper goes through w/ hour change and the hours of leaving and arriving are most convenient, this will prove altogether the most comfortable, as well as the most pictue-esque route to the national capital.

City Ticket Office, 222 Clark St., Chicago.

Depot, Dearborn Station, Chicago.

Excursion Rates to Carson City For the Great Fight.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip excursion tickets to Carson city, Nevada at \$7.50 on March 12 and 13, good for return until March 25 on account of the Corbett and Fitzsimmons prize fight. Short line via Omaha. Electric light vestibule trains. Leave Janesville 6:35 p. m.

Dangers of the Grippe.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its result in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grippe, we have to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dread disease. It will effect a permanent cure in less time than any other treatment. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

From Cripple Creek.

After the big fire in Cripple Creek, I took a severa cold and tried many remedies without help, the cold only becoming more settled. After using three shall bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, both the cough and cold left me, and in this high altitude it takes a moritorous cough remedy to do any good.—G. B. Henderson, Editor Daily Advertiser. For sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

After having been confined to the house for eleven days and paying out \$25 in doctor bills without benefit, M. Frank Dolson of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm costing 25 cents and has not since been troubled with that complaint. For at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

CATARRH

is a LOCAL DISEASE and is the result of cold and sudden climatic changes.

For your Protection we positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

Ely's Cream Balm

is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Cold in Head and Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, relieves the pressure on the brain, strengthens the membrane, restores the sense of taste and smell. 50c. at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

S. C. Cobb, President.

Stanley B. Smith, Treas.

F. C. Haselton, Sec'y

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Men's \$7
Enamel Shoes,
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Those fine Strong & Garfield make shoes at that. We have too many; they will move at \$4. Why shouldn't they? Think of it; a reduction of \$3.00. You know what the goods are---Orient last, like cut, strictly hand made and up to date. Strong & Garfield's \$5.00 patent leather shoes, straight hand made; they are nice for afternoon or evening wear. They go at \$3.50.

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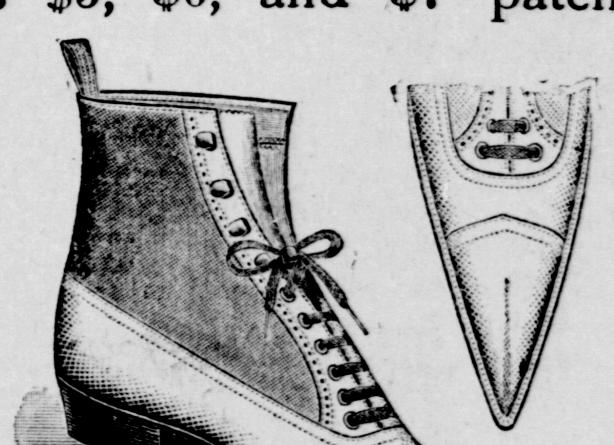
Odds and Ends of men's \$5, \$6, and \$7 patent leather shoes go at

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Your choice. Not old, but odd in sizes.

\$5.00 calf skin, cork sole, calt lined, hand sewed, a few sizes to close out, \$3.00. Your money with us buys shoes; nothing else.

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FASHION'S FANCIES.

Enamel Watches of Various Colors—Costumes for Fancy Dress Ball.

Among the fashionable fancies in jewelry is the four leaved clover. This has come to the front again after having retired into the background from the point of view of fashion. It is made in all sorts of jewels as well as in gold, silver and enamel, but the newest idea is the real clover leaf itself, protected by glass like a miniature and surrounded by diamonds, turquoise, garnets, rubies or sapphires.

Watches incased in enamel, blue, green, red or black, are among the pretty things worn by wealthy women who can afford to change watches as they change gowns. These watches are usually fastened to the bosom of the dress by a flower-de-luce of the same enamel, although sometimes they are worn attached to a lorgnette chain studded with jewels.

Chatelaines seem to be coming into vogue again. A very elaborate gold one was seen the other day having a dozen small objects suspended by chains. These clashed and clattered as unhesitatingly as if they had been made of tin instead of the precious metal. There is something barbaric in profuse metallic decoration, however skillfully the goldsmith may have wrought the little fellow.

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ORNAMENTS. The suggestion of savagery is too strong to seem quite in accord with a delicate, cultivated nineteenth century woman. One is irresistibly reminded of the African belle, with her jangling bits of metal shaped by primitive instruments. These ornaments which serve a use—girdles, brooches, buckles and combs—have a valid excuse for being. Those which define the customs of the body—necklaces, bracelets, fillets and rings—are also not only pardonable, but desirable, but those which are simply an excuse for spending money, which have no relation to the human form and no use in holding the clothing together, do not seem to be in the best taste, for the best taste is like the best manners in being the simplest and most appropriate.

A picture is given of a naïad's costume for a fancy dress ball. The skirt is of white crepe de chine embroidered with gold and yellow. Over this is draped a tunic of water green gauze having interwoven lines of silver. It is lined with gold gauze and fringed with crystal. The tunic is draped by a chain of blue cabochons. Yellow irises and reeds are worn in the hair and are arranged on the left shoulder and down the right side of the skirt. A stalk of reeds is carried in the hand. —JUDIC CHOLLET.

DRESSMAKING HINTS.

How to Enlarge a Bodice—To Put In Whalebones.

The princess gown has a new lease of life for ceremonial occasions. It has a train, of course, and is in great favor for bridal costumes.

The bodice of the present moment, in spite of its apparent seamlessness, its shirtings, pannings, plaitings lengthwise and horizontal, and its blouse effects, is really very close. It has a tight lining upon which all the fullness is carefully arranged; otherwise it would be baggy and shapeless.

If a bodice has become too tight, it should not be enlarged by adding anything in the middle of the front, as this disfigures the darts. It is better to cut a new under-arm piece, making it wide enough to give the necessary enlargement to the bodice.

The whalebone used in boning a dress—and real whalebone is superior to any of the substitutes now offered, as it adjusts itself to the figure—should be neither thick nor stiff. It ought to be very pliable and soft and should be scraped at the ends and edges to make it thin and avoid any evidence of its existence on the outside of the



DINNER GOWN.

bodice. Holes should be pierced in it close to the ends and also a little above and below the waist. This may be done with a hot wire without any danger of splitting the bone.

Evening bodices laced or hooked in front or at the back should have a small, round whalebone run in at the edges, as they are otherwise sure to wrinkle.

An illustration is given of a charming and picturesque dinner gown. It is of white moire velours, and the skirt is trimmed in front with four fine plaitings of white mouseline de soie. The bodice is entirely covered with a Marie Antoinette flounce of moire velours, embroidered with butter colored silk and trimming with ruches and ruffles of mouseline de soie. The flounce is fastened at the left side and has long ends falling to the foot of the skirt. The gown is sleeveless, but long butter colored gloves are worn.

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"I wonder how he got such a good job," he said.

"Why, don't you know?" she returned. "When he applied for it he told them that his marriage the following week depended upon his getting something to do at once."

"And they gave it to him?"

"They did."

"How ready people are to help a man to get into trouble, aren't they?"

She didn't answer. She didn't feel that she could answer without exhibiting a temper that she usually tried to keep in concealment.—Chicago Post.

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Pretoria, Transvaal, March 3.—It is said here that President Kruger will shortly visit the Orange Free State for the purpose of discussing with President Steyn and other officials closer union between the two republics. The visit is significant, in view of the relations at present existing between the Transvaal and Great Britain.

Trying to Force a Quorum.

Salem, Oregon, March 3.—Forcible steps are to be taken to organize the lower branch of the legislature. The temporary house passed a resolution appointing a number of assistant serjeants-at-arms to arrest absent members and bring them in. This step was taken on the legal opinion that the temporary organization has power to compel the attendance of absent members. Twenty-one members were present

40 Days of Lent

Wednesday, to begin the Season, we give you a list of Fish and Prices:

Fresh Fish.

Fancy Lake White Fish,	8c lb	Halibut, sliced,	13c lb	" Large family Whitefish,	5c lb
" Trout,	7c lb	Red Snapper, Wholefish,	8c lb	" No 1 Whitefish, 10c lb; three lbs.	25c
" Silver Herring,	4c lb	Smelts, 10c lb; three lbs	25c	[Large and nothing finer to be had.]	
Fancy Salt Water Fish:				" No. 1 Portland Herring,	5c lb
Steak Cod, whole fish,	9c lb			" Strip Codfish,	10c lb
" sliced.	12½c lb			" Smoked Halibut,	15c lb

No change in the market on breakfast foods.

Farinaceous Goods.

Pettijohn's California Breakfast,	10c Package.	Washburn-Crosby Co.'s (Minneapolis) Gold Medal,	\$1.10 per sack.	3 lb can Trilby Peaches, 10c; dozen,	1.15
" [Eli Pettijohn's Breakfast.]		(In ten sack lots, \$1.05.)		3 lb can Aqua Fruta California Peaches, 13c; doz.	1.40
Quaker Oats, 12 cents Package,		Hard to Beat (Janesville Minnesota) Flour,	\$1.00 per sack.	3 lb can King Boman Apricots, 10c; dozen.	1.10
Five Packages, 50 cents.		(In ten sack lots, 95c.)		Fancy can Figs,	20c
Challenge Rolled Oats, 10 cents Package,		We are selling quantities of flour; price probably will		2 lb can Lima Beans, 10c; fine stock, 3 cans	25c
Three Packages, 25 cents.		go up soon. That's the reason, partly.		2 lb can Stringless Beans 10c; 3 cans, 25c; per doz,	90c
Challenge Golden Sheaf Wheat Flakes, 10c Package,				3 lb can Sealed Hulled Corn, 10c; 3 cans	25c
Six Packages, 50 cents.				3 lb can Ruby Tomatoes, 10c; fine goods; 3 cans	25c
Challenge Farina, 10 cents Package,				3 lb can Genesee Pumpkin, 10c; 3 cans 25c; doz,	\$1.00
Three Packages, 25 cents.				Large can Asparagus.	35c
Challenge Wheatiet,	13 cents Package.			Large can Asparagus Tips,	25c
Shumacher's Rolled Avena,	10 cents Package.			3 lb can Spinach,	20c
Hornby's H. O. Oats,	13 cents package.			Gallon cans Pears, per can	25c
Cracked Hominy.				Gallon cans Plums, per can	25c
Flake Hominy.				Gallon cans Nectarines, per can	25c
Hominy Grits.				Gallon cans Apples, per can	20c
Steel Cut Wheat.				Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen	15c
Gold Dust Corn Meal.				Fancy, Fresh, Large Lemons, per dozen	15c
Yankee Corn Meal.				12 lbs Oatmeal,	25c
White Southern Corn Meal.				New Ungraded Prunes, per pound	05c
All the different articles that come under the farinaceous head will be cheap in price this week.				Fancy King Apples, per pound	05c

Strictly Fresh Eggs 13c a dozen. Never forget Sanborn's great liking for high qualities and low prices. It's your cash he is after. You can't afford to let his announcements pass by you unheeded.

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We have just placed on sale

100 New Dress Skirts.

Every one of these fresh and new. You will be surprised at the great values. These skirts have all been manufactured within the past three weeks, and the style is absolutely correct. Just the right fullness, just the right sweep and just the right materials.

NOTICE SOME OF THE GOODS AND PRICES.

Jacquard Mohair, - - -	\$1.47	Jacquard Mohair, - - -	\$4.79	Plain Satin (heavy) - - -	\$9.49
Jacquard Mohair, - - -	1.89	Plain Mohair, - - -	2.89	Brocade Silk " - - -	8 28
Jacquard Mohair, - - -	2.39	Plain Mohair, - - -	2.39	Brocade India Silk, - - -	6 29
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Jacquard Mohair, - - -	4.29	Plain Mohair, - - -	4.29	Brocade Grenadine, - - -	3.83

Also a line of nobby Colored Material at \$4.29. In many of these these the material is worth the price of the made-up garment, and you absolutely save the price of the making.

You will bear in mind that we will not show you an od garment, as we have never handled skirts before, and therefore, have no old garments to show you.

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